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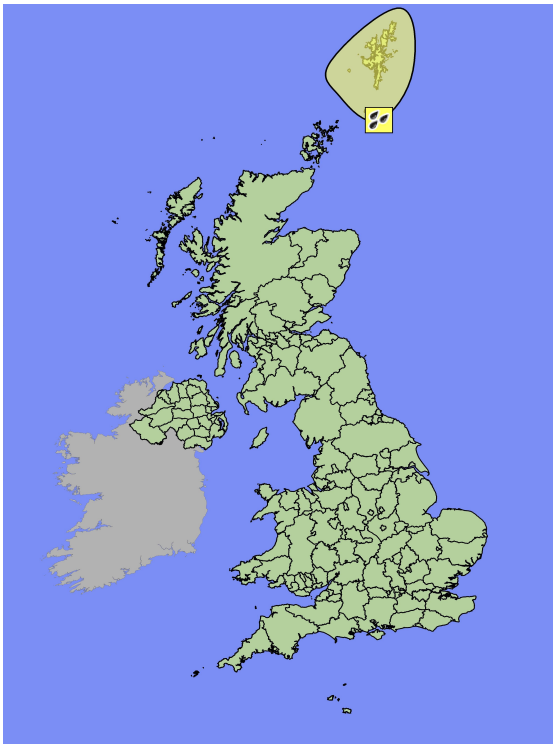

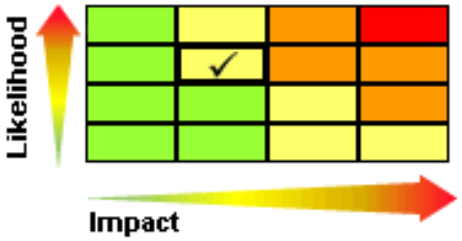

Chief Forecasters Assessment
An active front will bring a very wet end to Thursday with 20-30mm of rain likely to fall within a 6 hour period. Severe southeasterly gales will turn squally with gusts of 70mph possible for a time.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **15:00 on Thu, 22nd Nov 2012** until **21:00 on Thu, 22nd Nov 2012**

A band of heavy rain will spread east across Shetland later on Thursday afternoon and will last into the evening. The rain will be accompanied by southeasterly gales which will become severe for a time, before veering southwest and easing. The public should be aware of the risk of localised flooding and possible disruption to transport.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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